CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this TRANSMITTAL is being redeposited with the U.S. Postal Service, with sufficient postage, as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on this 10th day of January, 2003.

Typed or Printed name of person signing this certificate: Wendy A. Frick

igned: Wendy a. frick





IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Hudson, et al.) Examiner: Sackey, E.)
Serial No.: 09/900,336) Group Art Unit: 1626
Filed: July 5, 2001)
For: METHODS FOR PROTECTION OF STRATIFIED SQUAMOUS EPITHELIUM AGAINST INJURY BY NOXIOUS SUBSTANCES AND NOVEL AGENTS FOR USE THEREFORE	Attorney Docket No.: 22496/04060))))

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL OF AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following:

- 1. Amendment;
- 2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a);
- 3. A check in the amount of \$55.00; and
- 4. A Return Receipt Postcard.

It is believed that no further fee is required relating to the filing of this Response. If this is not the case, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any related fee to Deposit Account No. 03-0172. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: Gariary 10, 2002

Pamela A. Docherty, Reg. No. 40,591

(216) 622-8416